

UNIFORM DISTRIBUTION VARIANCE EXPONENTIAL DISTRIBUTION

Question:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{15}, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 15$$

- a) Find expected value of writing time X minutes.
b) Variance and standard deviation.

Solutions

$$E(x) = \int_a^b x f(x) dx$$

$$a = 0, \quad b = 15, \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{15}$$

$$= \int_0^{15} x \cdot \frac{1}{15} dx$$

$$E(x) = \frac{1}{15} \int_0^{15} x dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{15} \cdot \frac{x^2}{2} \Big|_0^{15} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{15} \left[\frac{225}{2} \right]$$

$$E(x) = 7.5$$

b)
$$\text{Var}(x) = E(x^2) - [E(x)]^2$$
$$= \int_0^{15} x^2 f(x) dx - (7.5)^2$$
$$= \int_0^{15} x^2 \cdot \frac{1}{15} dx - (7.5)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{15} \left. \frac{x^3}{3} \right|_0^{15} - 56.25$$

$$= \frac{1}{15} \left(\frac{3375}{3} \right) - 56.25$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = \frac{3375 - 56.25}{45}$$

$$= 75 - 56.25$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = 18.75$$

$$\text{S.D} = \sqrt{18.75}$$

$$\boxed{\text{S.D} = 4.33}$$

2) Given that $f(x) = b/x^2$ $1 < x < 3$

a) Determine the value of b that will make $f(x)$ a Pdf.

b) Find prop. of x is exactly equal to 2.

c) Find mean, variance and S.D of this Distribution.

Solution

$$(a) \quad f(x) = \frac{b}{x^2}$$

$$\int_a^b f(x) dx = 1$$

$$\int_a^b \frac{b}{x^2} dx = 1$$

$$b \int_a^b x^{-2} dx = 1$$

$$b \left[\frac{x^{-1}}{-1} \right]_1^3 = 1$$

$$-b [3^{-1} - 1^{-1}] = 1$$

$$-b \left[\frac{1}{3} - 1 \right] = 1$$

$$-b \left[\frac{1-3}{3} \right] = 1$$

$$-b \left(-\frac{2}{3} \right) = 1$$

$$b = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b)} \int_0^2 \frac{1.5}{x^2} dx & \quad b = 1.5 \\ &= 1.5 \int_0^2 \frac{1}{x^2} dx \\ &= 1.5 \int_0^2 x^{-2} dx \\ &= 1.5 \left[\frac{x^{-1}}{-1} \right]_0^2 \\ &= 1.5 [2^{-1} - 0] \\ &= 1.5 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \\ &= 0.75 \end{aligned}$$

(c) Find Mean variance and Standard Deviation

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} E(x) &= \int_a^b x f(x) dx \\ &= \int_1^3 x \frac{b}{x^2} dx \end{aligned}$$

$$= \int_1^3 x \cdot \frac{1.5}{x^2} dx$$

$$= 1.5 \int_1^3 \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$= 1.5 [\ln x]_1^3 \Rightarrow 1.5 [\ln 3 - \ln 1]$$

$$= 1.5 [1.0986 - 0] \Rightarrow 1.6479$$

$$\boxed{\text{Mean} = 1.6479}$$

(b) Variance

$$\text{Var}(X) = E(X^2) - [E(X)]^2$$

$$= \int_1^3 x^2 \cdot f(x) dx - (1.6479)^2$$

$$= \int_1^3 x^2 \cdot \frac{1.5}{x^2} dx - 2.7156$$

$$= 1.5 \int_1^3 1 dx - 2.7156$$

$$= 1.5(3-1) - 2.7156$$

$$= 1.5(2) - 2.7156$$

$$\text{Var}(X) = 0.2844$$

$$\text{S.D} = \sqrt{\sigma^2} = \sqrt{0.2844}$$

$$\boxed{\text{S.D} = 0.53329}$$

Question #3

The electricity voltage is
determine the prob. density func.

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} ; 0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$$

b) Find expected value of x and
S.D.

Solution:-

$$E(x) = \int_a^b x f(x) dx$$

$$a=0, \quad b=2\pi, \quad f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi}$$

$$E(x) = \int_0^{2\pi} x \cdot \frac{1}{2\pi} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} x dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \frac{x^2}{2} \Big|_0^{2\pi}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[\frac{(2\pi)^2}{2} - 0 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[\frac{4\pi^2}{2} - 0 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} (19.7192)$$

$$= \frac{19.7192}{6.28}$$

$$E(x) = 3.14$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = E(x^2) - [E(x)]^2$$

$$= \int_0^{2\pi} x^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2\pi} dx - (3.14)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\int_0^{2\pi} x^2 dx - (3.14)^2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \frac{x^3}{3} \Big|_0^{2\pi} - (3.14)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[\frac{(2\pi)^3}{3} - 0 \right] - (3.14)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2(3.1417)} (82.5577) - (3.14)^2$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = 13.146 - 9.8596$$

$$\text{Var}(x) = 3.2864$$

$$S.D = \sqrt{3.2864}$$

$$S.D = 1.8128$$

Question #4

The daily amount of coffee...?

- at most 8.8 liters
- More than 7.4 liters but less than 9.5 liters.
- at least 8.5 liters.

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{b-a} = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(X \leq 8.8) &= \int_7^{8.8} \frac{1}{3} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \int_7^{8.8} 1 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3} x \Big|_7^{8.8} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} [8.8 - 7] \end{aligned}$$

$$= 0.6 \quad 9.5$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } P(7.4 \leq x \leq 9.5) &= \int_{7.4}^{9.5} \frac{1}{3} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3} x \Big|_{7.4}^{9.5} \\ &= \frac{1}{3} [9.5 - 7.4] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{c) } P(x \geq 8.2) &= \int_{8.2}^{10} \frac{1}{3} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \int_{8.2}^{10} 1 dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3} [10 - 8.2] \\ &= 0.6 \end{aligned}$$

Question # 5.

Bus arrives every 10 mins at
a bus stop...?

- a) what is the probability that the individual waits more than 7 min.
 b) What is the probability that individual waits b/w 2 & 7 min.

Solution:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{b-a}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$a) P(x > 7) = \int_7^{20} \frac{1}{10} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} \int_7^{20} 1 dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} x \Big|_7^{20} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{10} (20-7)$$

$$= \frac{3}{10} = 0.3$$

$$P(x > 7) = 0.3$$

$$b) P(2 \leq x \leq 7) = \int_2^7 \frac{1}{10} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} \int_2^7 1 dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{10} [x]_2^7 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{10} [7-2]$$

$$= \frac{5}{10} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5$$

$$P(2 \leq x \leq 7) = 0.5$$